

U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
POLLUTION/SITUATION REPORT
Oncor Transformer Oil Spill - Removal Polrep
Initial and Final Removal Polrep



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
Region VI

Subject: POLREP #1
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Oncor Transformer Oil Spill

Dallas, TX
Latitude: 32.9228840 Longitude: -96.9154320

To:
From: Adam Adams, OSC
Date: 5/25/2010
Reporting Period: Initial and Final POLREP

1. Introduction

1.1 Background

Site Number:	Contract Number:
D.O. Number:	Action Memo Date:
Response Authority: CERCLA	Response Type: Emergency
Response Lead: PRP	Incident Category:
NPL Status: Non NPL	Operable Unit:
Mobilization Date: 5/25/2010	Start Date: 5/25/2010
Demob Date: 5/25/2010	Completion Date:
CERCLIS ID:	RCRIS ID:
ERNS No.:	State Notification:
FPN#:	Reimbursable Account #:

1.1.1 Incident Category

Emergency Response; Removal Action, RP Lead, RP Oversight.

1.1.2 Site Description

RP reported an oil spill of approximately 967 gallons of transformer mineral oil from 2 pad mounted transformers due to vandalism. NRC 941489 was submitted indicating the incident details and status.

1.1.2.1 Location

Site is located at 1925 Valley View Lane, Farmers Branch, Texas 75234.

1.1.2.2 Description of Threat

Transformer oil could impact a drainage pathway approximately 413' to the north northeast, which drains approximately 6,595' to the Trinity River.

1.1.3 Preliminary Removal Assessment/Removal Site Inspection Results

Minimal surface staining around transformers indicates minimal potential for impact to the drainage ditch and Trinity River. RP was actively responding to spill by removing transformers and surrounding soil contamination.

2. Current Activities

2.1 Operations Section

2.1.1 Narrative

Vandalism incident and spill were found and reported the evening of 05/24/2010 to the NRC. RP mobilized contractors to respond and remove both transformers and surrounding contaminated soils on the morning of 05/25/2010. No staining was observed of the surrounding soils beyond 20' from the transformers.

2.1.2 Response Actions to Date

Incident was found and reported on 05/24/2010. RP responders were actively removing transformers and surrounding contaminated soils on 05/25/2010.

2.1.3 Enforcement Activities, Identity of Potentially Responsible Parties (PRPs)

NRC 941489 indicates the RP is Oncor Electric Delivery Company, Dallas, Texas 75201.

2.2 Planning Section

Following removal of transformers and transformer debris, surrounding contaminated soils will be excavated. Samples will be taken by RP to confirm no PCB's or oil contamination remaining. Upon completion, RP will restore site.

2.3 Logistics Section

No information available at this time.

2.4 Finance Section

No information available at this time.

2.5 Other Command Staff

2.5.1 Safety Officer

2.6 Liaison Officer

2.7 Information Officer

Further information can be obtained at www.epaosc.org/OncorTransformerOilSpill.

3. Participating Entities

No information available at this time.

4. Personnel On Site

On site personnel include EPA OSC, RP representative, and RP contractors.

5. Definition of Terms

No information available at this time.

6. Additional sources of information

6.1 Internet location of additional information/report

Further information can be obtained from www.epaosc.org/OncorTransformerOilSpill.

6.2 Reporting Schedule

No additional POLREPs will be submitted.

7. Situational Reference Materials

No information available at this time.